

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

SUSAN HERTZ, Individually and as Personal
Representative of the Estate of Roger B. Hertz,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 07-14369
Honorable David M. Lawson

v.

SHELDON L. MILLER, SHELDON L. MILLER &
ASSOCIATES, P.C., and LAW OFFICE OF SHELDON
L. MILLER,

Defendants.

ORDER STRIKING NOTICES OF WITHDRAWAL

On September 1, 2011, the defendants filed a notice of withdrawal of attorney Sheldon L. Miller from the representation of defendants Law Office of Sheldon L. Miller and Sheldon L. Miller & Associates, P.C. and a notice of withdrawal of attorney Mayer Morganroth from the representation of defendant Sheldon L. Miller. These documents violate the Eastern District of Michigan's Local Rules, which states that "[w]ithdrawal of appearances may be accomplished only by leave of Court on motion of counsel." E.D. Mich. LR 83.30(a). An attorney cannot unilaterally withdraw his appearance by filing a notice to that effect. Therefore, the Court will strike the defendants' notices of withdrawal of attorney from the record in this case.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED** that the defendants' notices of withdrawal of attorney [dkts. #141 and 142] are **STRICKEN** from the record.

s/David M. Lawson
DAVID M. LAWSON
United States District Judge

Dated: September 2, 2011

PROOF OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the foregoing order was served upon each attorney or party of record herein by electronic means or first class U.S. mail on September 2, 2011.

s/Deborah R. Tofil
DEBORAH R. TOFIL